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A description of installations in Ich'on-up, Kangwon-do, keyed to an accompanying sketch,

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I. DetailsTown Plan. Ich'on-do. Kangwon-do

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1. Town Plan: See the attached sketch.2. Explanation to Sketch:

- 1) Ich'on-gun People's Hospital: A single story, slate-roofed structure with white lime coated mud walls, about 30 meters long, seven meters wide, and five meters high; Under construction as of February 1958, started in the fall of 1957, scheduled to be completed by March 1958 for use from April of the same year.
- 2) Ich'on-gun Automotive Station: A two story, slate-roofed structure of brick, built up on walls left from a Japanese-day structure; About 30 meters long, 15 meters wide, and eight meters high. This station operated an unknown number of buses and trucks.
- 3) Military Unit (Designation Unknown): This unit (infantry) used an unknown number of barracks built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 4) Military Unit (Designation Unknown): Same unit as Item 3 above.
- 5) Ich'on-gun Employee's Store: A single story, slate-roofed structure with white lime coated walls, about 20 meters long, eight meters wide, and four meters high; Built after the Armistice in 1953. This store employed four workers and handled rations (food and commodities) for employed workers.
- 6) Ich'on 1st Junior Middle School: A single story, slate-roofed structure with white lime coated walls; Built after the Armistice in 1953; About 40 meters long, 15 meters wide, and five meters high.
- 7) Ich'on Primary School: A two story, slate-roofed, brick structure about 40 meters long, 12 meters wide, and eight meters high; Built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 8) Ich'on-gun Consumers' Guild: A single story, slate and red tile roofed structure with white lime coated mud walls, about 15 meters long, five meters wide, and three meters high; Built after the Korean War.
- 9) Consumers' Guild Restaurant No. 2: A single story, thatched structure of Korean residence style, about 13 meters long, five meters wide, and 2.7 meters high; Built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 10) Ich'on-gun People's Committee: A structure with four office rooms; Surrounded by a barbed wire fence; Built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 11) Consumers' Guild Restaurant No. 1: A structure of the same type as Item No. 9 above.

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- 12) Tailor Shop, Consumers' Guild: A single story, thatched structure of Korean style, about ten meters long, four meters wide, and three meters high; Built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 13) Barber Shop, Consumers' Guild: Same structure as Item No. 12 above; Built after the Korean War.
- 14) Ich'on-gun Central Bank: A single story, slate-roofed structure with mud walls, about 20 meters long, eight meters wide, and three meters high; Built after the Korean War.
- 15) National Book Store: A Korean style structure with white lime coated mud walls, about 15 meters long, three meters wide, and three meters high; Built after the Korean War.
- 16) Ich'on-gun Stadium: Used for public gatherings in Ich'on-gun.
- 17) Ich'on Motion Picture House: A single story, slate-roofed structure with white lime coated mud walls, about 40 meters long, 20 meters wide, and five meters high; Built after the Armistice in 1953. This motion picture house charged each person 20 Won and opened at 1900 hours in winter and at 1800 hours in summer.
- 18) Ich'on-gun Internal Affairs Station: Several single story structure, some thatched and some slate-roofed; Built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 19) Ich'on-gun Communications Department: A single story, slate-roofed structure built after the Armistice in 1953.
- 20) Ich'on-gun KLP Committee: A single story, "L" shaped structure with a tile roof and white lime coated mud walls, about 30 meters long, two meters wide, and three meters high; Built after the Korean War.
- 21) Military Unit (Designation Unknown): A barracks encircled by a barbed wire fence; Built after the Armistice in 1953; Used by a Chinese military unit until January 1958, when the present NEPA unit took over.
- 22) Road: Covered with dirt and gravel, about eight meters wide.

II. Leads not fully developed and inconsistencies in Source's statements:

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III. Promises and commitments made:

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